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AMENDMENT "A" TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

The present amendment responds to the Non-Final Office Action mailed December 6, 2001 and is being filed contemporaneously with a petition to revive this Application. Claims 1-4 are currently pending in the present application. Applicant is canceling claims 1-4, while adding a new independent claim 5. Please enter the following amendments and reconsider the identified Patent Application in view of the amendments and remarks. Applicant believes that no new matter has been added by this amendment.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please accept the following amendments to the claims. Applicant has included a clean copy of the amended claims with this response. Further, Applicant believes that no new matter has been added by the claim amendments.

Please cancel claims 1-4.

5(New). A sound box structure, comprising:

a box formed from plastic having a plurality of intensified ribs and a one-way opening;

and

a soundproof layer installed inside the box that structurally increase the strength of the

box.